



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Carl V. Manion  
Serial No.: 10/088,713  
Filed: July 22, 2002  
For: Viscosity Modulating Substance  
And Use Thereof

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§ GROUP ART UNIT: 1616  
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§ EXAMINER: John D. Pak  
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§ CONFIRMATION NO. 7559  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**PETITION AND FEE FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))**

Commissioner:

Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time to November 23, 2004, to respond to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated November 8, 2004. Enclosed is the fee of \$55.00 for the Petition fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1515, Conley Rose, P.C. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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